

AUG. 22. 2005 4:01PM +1-212-319-5101 customer 01933

NO. 9585 P. 2

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box ~

PTO/SB/08A (08-00)

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Substitute for Form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT		Application Number	10/716,899
		Filing Date	November 18, 2003
		First Named Inventor	Kazuhisa KIMURA
		Group Art Unit	2853 2861
		Examiner Name	METER, STEPHEN D. <i>S. H. M.</i>
Sheet	1	of	2
Attorney Docket Number			03685/LH

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Exam. Inits ¹	Cite No ²	Document Number	Kind Code ³	Name of Patentee or Applicant	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Relevant Portion

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Exam. Inits ¹	Cite No ²	Offc ³	Document Number ⁴	Kind Code ⁵	Name of Patentee or Applicant	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Relevant Portion	T ⁶
<i>mmf</i>		JP	03-099857	A2	FUJITSU LTD.	04-25-1991	<i>✓</i>	*

*English Abstract
and Partial
English
translation

Examiner Signature

S. H. M.

Date Considered

1-6-06

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² See kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Place a check here if English translation is attached.

DATE MAILED: August 22, 2005

PTO/SB/08B

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT		Application Number	10/716,899
		Filing Date	November 18, 2003
		First Named Inventor	Kazuhisa KIMURA
		Group Art Unit	2853 2861
Sheet	2	of	2
		Attorney Docket Number	03685/LH S+H/Sel

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Exam Units	Cite No ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ²
/MM/		Merriam-Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, 10 th Edition, page 811.	

* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 608. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² See kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Mark here if English translation is attached.

DATE MAILED: August 22, 2005